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SUBJECT: GREECE WILL SUPPORT WALKER FOR UN AUDIT COMMITTEE

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¶1. (SBU) On October 19, PolOff delivered reftel demarche seeking Greek support for the candidacy of David Walker to the UN Independent Audit Advisory Committee (IAAC) to MFA D1 International Organizations Deputy Head Ambassador Alexandros Rallis.

¶2. (SBU) DepPolCouns discussed the issue further with Rallis on October 25. Rallis was aware that Spain and Switzerland had also put forward candidates for the WEOG seat. He said Greece had decided to support the U.S. candidate and that he had passed verbal instructions to do so to the Greek UN mission. He would follow up with written instructions later in the day.
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